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1. The reply filed on 09/762,633 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s): the original restriction requirement, mailed 5/18/2001, included the requirement that only ONE NUCLEOTIDE SEQUENCE be elected. In Applicant's response, two distinct groups were formed: Group 1, drawn to claims 1, 2, 5, 7, 9, and 11, and Group 2, drawn to claims 3, 4, 6, 8, 10, and 12. Examiner appreciates this additional clarification, and recognizes Applicant's election of Group 2. However, the requirement still stands that one sequence be elected. In other words, the claims of Group 2 recite SEQ ID NOS: 3, 4, 7-9, and 11. Applicant is required to submit ONE of these sequences for examination. After Applicant elects one of these sequences for prosecution, claims 3, 4, 6, 8, 10, and 12 will be examined to the extent that they apply to that single nucleotide sequence. See 37 CFR 1.111. Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be *bona fide*, applicant is given **ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS** from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Janell Taylor Cleveland, whose telephone number is (703) 305-0273.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Gary Jones, can be reached at (703) 308-1152.

Any inquiries of a general nature relating to this application should be directed to the Group receptionist whose telephone number is (703) 308-0196.

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